



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : LIU  
Application No. : 10/054,929  
Filed : January 25, 2002  
Title : FASTENING STRUCTURE OF UMBRELLA  
Group Art Unit : 3635  
Examiner : R. Canfield  
Docket No. : BHT/3126-170

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Honorable Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF  
TIME UNDER 37 CFR § 1.136 (a)**

Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.136 for a **ONE-MONTH** extension of time for responding to the outstanding Office Action of October 6, 2003. The period for response is accordingly hereby extended to expire on **February 6, 2004**, by the filing herewith of a Petition for a one-month extension of time and payment of the required fee, which is still within the six-month statutory period for response.

The required fee as established by 37 CFR §1.17(a), (b), (c) or (d) pursuant to 35 U.S.C. §41(a)(8) is: **\$55.00**. A check for \$55.00 is enclosed.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required in connection with this petition to **Deposit Account No. 501874**.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: February 4, 2004

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